

## PLAY GROUNDS DISCUSSED BY JUNEAU LIONS

Other Important Matters  
Before Club at Noon  
Session Today

The Juneau Lions Club is solidly behind the movement for a children's city playground and the organization will exert every effort to secure such a recreational center for the school children. This was made known by President L. D. Henderson and the members present at the semi-monthly luncheon held today noon in the Arcade Cafe. R. M. Robertson was appointed to investigate possible sites at the last meeting, and he reported that two or three ideal pieces of ground were available at a moderate price. One is near the edge of town and the others are located in town, both easy of access to the children. Another committee was named today to investigate and report at the next meeting the exact costs of the properties and also to interest other civic bodies in the project.

**Need of a Marine Ways**  
Though no definite action was taken the stressing need of adequate marine ways was taken up. It was pointed out that Juneau now is without proper means of hauling boats out of the water and is losing each month many hundreds of dollars from boats that are forced to go to Petersburg or Ketchikan for work. All of the larger hull boats are now being taken to the towns south whenever large jobs are to be done and during the fishing season many craft of all classes are forced to make the 200-mile trip in order to undergo repairs of serious nature, and in so doing are taking thousands of dollars from Juneau each season. It was explained by Charles Warner, the club went on record as being behind any movement that would enable the construction of marine way facilities.

**Activities**  
President Henderson reported on the activities of the club for February. The regular meeting dates are set for February 13 and 27. It was decided to have as guests at the February 13 luncheon, Arthur Scott Master Dave Ramsey, and the first-class scouts of Juneau, in honor of the anniversary of the American Boy Scouts, which falls on February 10.

An explanation was heard from R. E. Robertson regarding the Lions and Chamber of Commerce bowling contest, staged a short time ago. Mr. Robertson reported that the Bowling Lions were beaten by 182 points at the finish of the 15 games played. He also explained that the Lions bowling team was composed of all second team bowlers as the first team men were out of town and no substitutes were available. He added that in four or five years, if the Lions improved, they would score over the Chamber by a safe margin.

An outline of his proposed record breaking trip by small boat from Juneau to Seattle, was made by R. L. Haines. He explained that the trip would be made at all costs and that the main object was for the adventure of the thing and to prove that a 13-foot open light boat driven by outboard motor power, could better the steamer time south if favored by fair weather. He further explained that if he were forced by stormy weather to lose several hours he would return to Juneau and start over and make the record finish, if it required several attempts.

The Lions Club went on record as being behind the trip and that it would assist in every manner possible to make it a thorough success. It was brought out that such a record trip would be a world's record for such a small craft in that if successful the finish would be made in less than 60 hours and by Haines alone driving the light-sealed night and day without sleep through to destination.

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(International Newsreel)

## FIRST SHIPMENT FURS FOR SEASON SOUTH ON ROGERS

The first large shipment of furs of the present winter catch from the Westward, bound for the States and European markets, is aboard the Admiral Rogers that sailed southbound last night. The exact figures were not made known, but it is understood that nearly \$30,000 worth of choice skins made up the several lots that are being carried as freight and in the registered mail.

A large part of the furs are from the ranches that are located in the Kodiak Island group, although a part came from the Alaska Peninsula. The furs from the peninsula country are mostly wild catch. The shipment consists of silver, red and blue fox, ermine, land otter and lynx. There are about 35 ranches devoted exclusively to the raising of blue foxes on the islands to the westward and it is estimated that from 1,000 to 1,500 pelts that will return a revenue of nearly 100,000 will be harvested from this district alone this season.

It is interesting to note in this connection that the first blue fox were brought to the south of the peninsula from the Pribilof Islands only 40 years ago and in the time since increased until now they contribute to one of the largest industries in the north.

## Train Is Derailed at Bridge; 3 Men Killed

THOMSTON, Conn., Jan. 23.—The engineer, fireman and one passenger were killed and five passengers were injured when a local train from Waterbury to Winston was derailed at Castle's Bridge, near here.

## CAPT. HVATUM LEAVES HOSPITAL FOR SEATTLE

Capt. O. O. Hvatum, who has been in St. Ann's Hospital three days with a case of influenza, left the institution last evening and sailed for Seattle on the Admiral Rogers. Capt. Hvatum was brought to Juneau on account of his illness by the International Fisheries schooner Dorothy last Sunday. Prior to his being taken ill, he was in charge of the Dorothy that a short time ago arrived on the Gulf of Alaska from Seattle with several scientists aboard to conduct deep sea investigations regarding the habits of halibut.

The Dorothy is to return to Seattle after about a month and Capt. Hvatum will rejoin the ship there.

## DAVE MINTOSH PASSES

David McIntosh, who stamped to the Klondike in 1898, succumbed to a stroke of paralysis at Stewart, on the Yukon River, several weeks ago, the end coming very suddenly. He was a member of the Canadian Legion and was laid away by that organization.

## WOOD-CARVING GENIUS

KINGSTON, Jamaica—A genius in wood-carving has been discovered here in Arthur T. Marriott, who carves in mahogany. He has completed recently a statue of St. Francis Xavier for a church.

## NOTICE REBEKAHS

Perseverance Rebekah Lodge No. 2A will hold regular meeting Wednesday, January 23, at 8:00 p. m. Installation of officers. Visiting members welcome. —adv.

## INDIAN WOMAN AND DAUGHTER ARE DROWNED

Mrs. Nellie Gamble, age 23 years, and her adopted daughter, Irene, age 3 years, Indian residents of Angoon, were drowned in Mitchell Bay, Kootzashoo Inlet, on January 13. A verdict of death by accidental drowning was returned by the Coroner's Jury which was composed of the following citizens of Angoon: Eli Katawood, Mary D. Merrill, Annie Scott, William Quick, George R. Betts, Samuel G. Johnson, and William John.

The testimony was given to the Coroner's Jury by John Gamble, husband of the deceased, and by Louis Wright, her cousin, to the effect that Mrs. Gamble and Irene accompanied them on the gas boat Robert Barron, on the morning of January 15, when they were going out to lay their traps. Upon arriving in Mitchell Bay, they dropped anchor and the two men went ashore in the only tender on the boat and did not return until about 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon at which time they were greatly surprised to find that Mrs. Gamble and the baby were not aboard the Robert Barron. They immediately began to investigate and found the baby's shoes and stockings on the bow of the boat; an American flag hanging across the door of the pilot house; several articles spread out on the bank of the pilot house as if they were being aired or dried; and a fire still burning in the stove with a pot of hot coffee on top of the stove. The thought occurred to them that possibly someone in the family had fallen ill and that Mrs. Gamble's father had come after her and so, acting upon this presumption, they immediately proceeded to Angoon only to find that Mrs. Gamble had not been seen since that morning.

The Robert Barron, accompanied by the U-and-I and by the Merimac, returned to Mitchell Bay and after searching the waters nearby they found the body of the baby floating near the shore, and about an hour later the body of Mrs. Gamble was found in five or six feet of water. The baby was fully clothed with the exception of her feet, which were bare; and the woman was dressed in overalls. No bruises, lacerations, or any marks of violence were found on the body of Mrs. Gamble, and she and her adopted daughter had presumably been in the water for about ten hours.

## "TONY" KVAS GOING OUTSIDE AFTER 25 YEARS IN ALASKA

Going to the Outside for the first time in over 25 years, "Tony" Kvas, sourdough character to the Westward and in the Interior, and at the present time proprietor of a restaurant in Kodiak, is aboard the Admiral Rogers, bound from Seward for Seattle and the East. "Tony," as Kvas is known to all his acquaintances, was a familiar sight during the boom days in the gold camps in the Interior, and it is said that it is few camps he has not visited during his washings of the quarter-century he has lived in the Territory.

Cleveland, Ohio, is the destination of Kvas. He plans visiting relatives and old-time friends there for a few weeks and then return to Alaska, which, as he says, is his adopted home country.

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Alaska Scenic Views adv.

## Laddie Boy Is Dead; Old Age Is Cause

NEWTONVILLE, Mass., Jan. 23.—Laddie Boy, the magnificent airedale which as the "First Dog of the Land," once roamed at will about the White House grounds, is dead at the home of Harry Parker, Secret Service man, to whose care he was entrusted seven years ago at the death of President Harding. The dog had been ailing for several months as the result of old age.

## BAND DANCE ON SATURDAY

For the first time in two years, dancers will enjoy waltzing or fox-trotting to music of a brass band when the Juneau City Band gives its second annual dance in Elks' Hall next Saturday night. Of the many dances given in Juneau during recent months, none perhaps has caused so much attention as the band event for there is an opportunity to hear and dance to real music with all of the harmony written by the composers of the various selections.

Juneau's musical organization is one to be proud of and the band boys who have hung together for the past seven years appreciate the genuine support accorded at all times.

The arrangement of dance selections for next Saturday night has been taken from a series of dances given by various band organizations throughout the United States and includes popular numbers of the day with old time favorites.

Tickets can be obtained from the band members, at Butler-Mauro Drug Store or at the door on the night of the dance.

## ANDERSON GOING SOUTH

J. Anderson, prominent business man of Seldovia and operator of the docks and wharves of that town, is enroute to Seattle on a business trip on the Admiral Rogers. He was formerly United States Commissioner at Seldovia.

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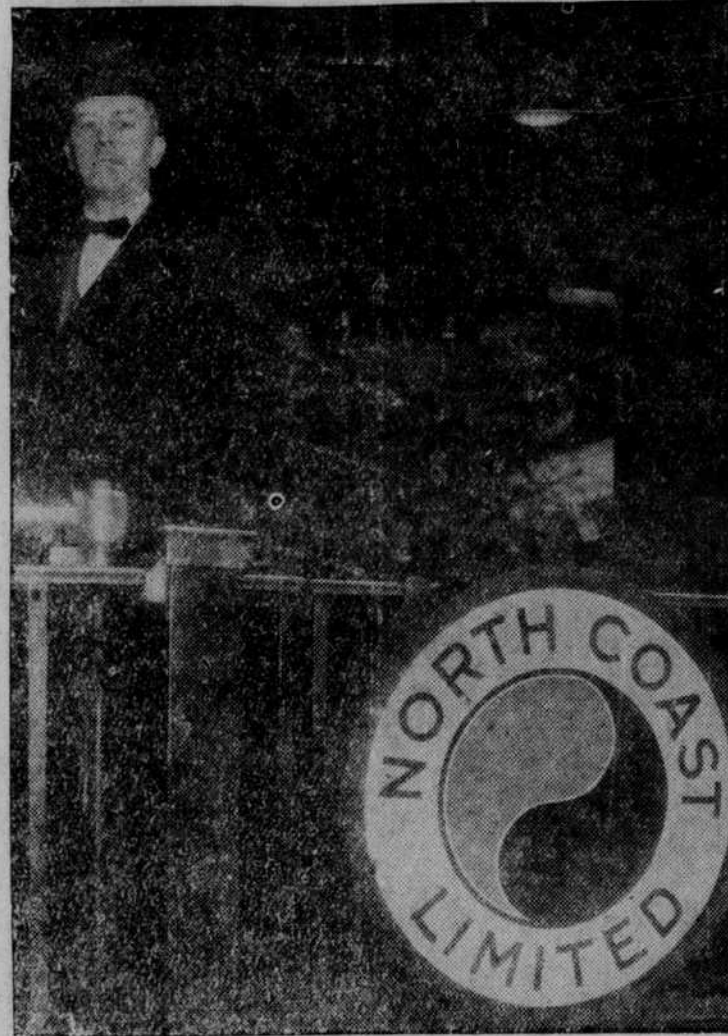
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Dr. Bunnell went to Washington, D. C., where he will report on the year's activities at the Alaska College and will make recommendations for the next year.

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## MISS SEIGER ILL

Miss Katherine Seiger, file clerk in the office of the Alaska Game Commission, who has been visiting in Huntington, New York, since December 4, was enroute to Juneau when she contracted a bad case of flu and was forced to remain in Seattle. She arrived in Seattle last Tuesday and upon her recovery will take the first north-bound boat for Juneau.

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